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**NON-PATENT DOCUMENTS**

1. GOTO et al., "Suppressive Effect of Topically Applied CX-6595, a Novel Diaminouracil Derivative, on the Contact Hypersensitivity Reaction in Various Animal Models", *International Archives of Allergy and Immunology*, August 28, 2000, pp. 341-348, vol. 123, Basel, Switzerland.
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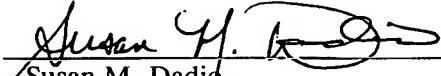
The documents are being submitted within 3 months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later, therefore no fee or statement is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b).

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To assist the Examiner, the listed on the attached form PTO-1449. It is respectfully requested that an Examiner initialed copy of this form be returned to the undersigned.

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